Boardman House

Howard Street, Saugus

Built ca. 1687, this classic New England saltbox is typical of the late-17th-century, post-Medieval frame dwellings constructed by English colonists. The second floor has a pronounced overhang, and there is a massive central chimney. Much of the original framework and interior finishes remain, making the Boardman House a prime document for the study of early American architecture and construction methods. The house is open to the public.